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SUBJECT: LETHAL GAS EXPLOSION IN LOMBARDY--VISITS BY
ITALIANS TO U.S.

REF: (A) STATE 218533; (B) STATE 224542;
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1. ITALIAN EMBASSY INFORMED DEPARTMENT SEPTEMBER 13
(REF C RELATES) THAT THREE REPRESENTATIVES OF ITALIAN
NATIONAL INSTITUTE OF HEALTH, PROFESSORS POCCHIARI,
GOVARDI AND GIOVANARDI, WILL ARRIVE IN WASHINGTON EVENING
SEPTEMBER 15 AND WILL PARTICIPATE IN MEETING OUTLINED
REF A. IN REPLY ITALIAN EMBASSY QUESTION CONCERNING
POSSIBLE CALL AT PENTAGON, DEPARTMENT OUTLINED CONCERNS
SET FORTH REF B PARA 3, AND INDICATED THAT U.S. CIVILIAN
EXPERTS COULD SATISFACTORILY HANDLE THIS ISSUE. ARRANGE-
MENTS HAVE BEEN MADE FOR GROUP TO DISCUSS SWINE FLUE
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VACCINATION WITH DR. MERRIWETHER, HEW, FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER

17 AT 11 A.M. IN ROOM H-729, 200 INDEPENDENCE AVE., S.W.,
WASHINGTON, D.C.

2. DEPARTMENT HAS ARRANGED FOR HIGHLY QUALIFIED GROUP
OF U.S. EXPERTS TO PARTICIPATE IN THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 16
MEETING AT DEPARTMENT ON SEVESO PROBLEM. IN ADDITION TO
THOSE MENTIONED IN REF A PARA 2, FOLLOWING WILL PARTICI-
PATE: DR. ALAN POLAND, UNIVERSITY OF ROCHESTER,
DR. RAYMOND SUSKIND, UNIVERSITY OF CINCINNATI; DR.
ROBERT NEAL VANDERBILT UNIVERSITY; DR. RENATE KIMBROUGH,
CENTER FOR DISEASE CONTROL, ATLANTA; DR. JOHN MOORE,
DR. JAMES MCKINNEY, AND DR. E.E. MCCONNELL, ALL THREE
FROM NATIONAL INSTITUTE OF ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH
SCIENCES; DR. HARRY GELBOIN AND DR. UMBERTO SAFFIOTTI,
NATIONAL CANCER INSTITUTE; DR. E. C. HORNING, BAYLOR
UNIVERSITY; DR. BRYAN CLARK, NATIONAL INSTITUTE OF
GENERAL MEDICAL SCIENCES; DR. GEORGE MANDEL, GEORGE
WASHINGTON UNIVERSITY; AND DR. HERMAN CHINN, SUBSTITUTE
FOR DR. J. CARR, FASEB. ROBINSON

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